

SEEN, HEARD AND TOLD

BY THE EDITOR

We cannot but speak the things which we
have seen and heard.—Acts 4:13.

Pretty soon, we are going to give our delinquent subscribers a gentle reminder by sending a blank copy to each one whose subscription is "out." And that will mean we will issue quite a number of blank copies. For a good many months now, we have not dogged anyone about his subscription, have just gone on and on assuming that the GCW was wanted and that you would come in, as many do, and pay up. We have not issued the regular formal notices, which cost us 3 cents to mail. This blank copy will be sent pretty shortly.

Most folks are keenly interested in football games. Frankly, I am not. Therefore, we want publicly to thank Hugh Ketchum for often writing-up the football games, articles that we usually print. Such an article is elsewhere in this issue this week.

In the future, I am not going to write a lot of long-winded editorials about my choice for Governor, J. P. Coleman, but I intend to stick with him. I know him better than I do any of the other aspirants and think he is a fine, competent man and that about winds up my thoughts.

The gdpublishers surely have a real mess on their hands in the matter of censuring Joe McCarthy. Surely he has been and is a deep thorn in the flesh of the gdpublishers.

Beril Elder has been elected to something on the state level, but I forget what it is.

Our neighbor on South Street, Mrs. William Franklin Rogers, a white-haired mother of eight children and widow of a Methodist minister, is soon to celebrate her 94th birthday. There was a nice illustrated article about her in a recent issue of the Jackson (Miss.) Advertiser-TV News, an article we hoped to reproduce.

It would strain Mr. Oliver to carry a stock of the infinite variety of Christmas cards. We don't even pretend to carry a big variety. We do, however, have several hundred boxes of very pretty cards, good enough to give away. We have boxes of 25 cards and envelopes and larger boxes of 50 each. We print the name and address on the cards. Anytime you want any, we will set aside the box or boxes and later imprint the name and notify you when to come, get them. When we get rolling in this business, you can come in, give your order and pick up finished cards after you go to the postoffice to mail a letter.

For a long time during my life, I did not know there was any place to fish except down below Oxberry. I have hardly been in that area at all during 1954 as I can always find many, many places to fish in or on our own Grenada Lake which is destined to be one of the greatest things in this entire area.

Three charter members paid up Monday of this week: Hubert Clark who moved from the pint-sized boat to Skuna Valley in Yalobusha County; Gaston Williams who, on a car trip, used to take a drink at every station, then at every telephone pole; and Mrs. Charlie Province who gets her mail in town.

Went to see "Indiscretions Of An American Wife" at the picture show Tuesday. The entire play was laid in a magnificent new Italian railroad station. The stars were Jennifer Jones and Montgomery Clift. About all I remember about the play was that Montgomery Clift finally coaxed Jennifer into an apartment in a sleeping car, parked in the railroad yards, where the couple was found by the gendarmes and brought before the summary court. After the gracious judge found out Jennifer was a married lady with a child, he tore up the papers. Lowminded viewers inferred a lot, but saw nothing but a lot of smooching.

We are to have our regular annual Christmas edition on December 23, just prior to Christmas Day. We already have 200 3 sponsors like Tobe Denberg and Friedman and Tommie Darras. That's about the only money we ever get out of them and don't plan to miss this.

In re Christmas edition, we plan to contact YOU in plenty of time.

Reading placards in our window: don't forget Christmas seals; don't forget the huge Christmas parade on Grenada streets Wednesday, Decem-

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Grenada Host To Fall Conference YWCA

Y-Teens and Adult YWCA members of 14 counties in the lower North eastern part of the state will gather in Grenada November 20, 21 for the Annual Fall Conference of Area III of the Mississippi District YWCA.

The meeting, beginning Saturday morning at 9:00 will highlight the Centennial observance of the YWCA which had its beginning in London, England in 1855 and now is active in 65 different nations. The opening session of the conference is to feature a joint meeting of all delegates - Y-Teens, Advisors, and other YWCA members, at which time the Y-Teen clubs of Brooksville, Sturgis, and Macon will present a Centennial Pageant in three acts. The pageant was written by Mrs. Graham Hicks and Miss Pearl Guyton both of Natchez especially for use at the six Area Fall Conferences and is dedicated to the late Mrs. E. H. Green of Cleveland who was an active member of the Mississippi District YWCA for many years. Following the pageant the remainder of the morning will be spent in smaller groups discussing various phases of the program of the YWCA, especially the Centennial celebration.

At noon the girls and women will attend separate luncheons and continue their programs. Miss Selva Khoury, a YWCA visitor from Lebanon, is to be the speaker at the adult luncheon. The afternoon programs will include several items of business and further discussions bringing out the theme of the conference "Invest Your Best."

On Saturday night Y-Teen of Grenada will entertain the overnight delegates with a Centennial Party, and at this time the Winona Y-Teen Club will present a skit called "Listen My Children."

The Sunday morning worship service will draw the conference to a close. Mrs. Laura Bowie and Miss Rachel Winters, advisors of the Y-Teen Club in Durant are directing it and participants will be members of the Club. A eustiful and impressive service of installation is to take place at the Sunday service at which time the newly elected Y-Teen officers will take office.

Local sponsors for this event are Mrs. A. L. Gerrard and Miss Bona White, Members of Grenada school faculty, the local Y-Teen will serve as hostesses.

Christmas Seal Campaign Starts

The 49th Annual Christmas seal campaign in which supporting money is sought by the sale of attractive Christmas Seals is headed in Grenada this year by Miss Mary Ella Collins, to whom money for buying seals is directed.

Other ladies are the other officers: Miss Edith Bell, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Ida Parks, secretary; and Mrs. E. M. Crimes, publicity chairman.

ber 1 at 3:30.

I saw in town Wednesday for the first time in a long time, George Williams, the Beat 4 Minnow King.

A lotta big shot agricultural men of the state had a supper and a big meeting at the Future Farmers camp on the lake Wednesday.

Tommie Darras, who feeds them and the community eaters have been busy this week with the ladies of the Kiwanis being fed Tuesday, the ladies of the Lions Wednesday and the members of Farm Bureau Friday.

Folks eat a lot.

Eating in groups publicly has become very popular in Grenada. Many do it.

National advertising for cars come thru accredited agencies. The local dealers allocate the advertising thru the agencies. It is about the time of the year for agencies to get from the dealers what to do about the advertising. We hope the retail dealers will allocate to us a reasonable share of the 1955 car advertising.

Messrs Resch and Thomas, big shots with the McQuay Co., were monkeying around with Bill Fedric and Donald Ross, Wednesday.

GRENADA COUNTY "FARM OF THE WEEK"

Number 30 In A Series



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If this is YOUR farm, you can get, without charge, a nicely mounted picture of the farm, but you must come to the Grenada County Weekly and identify it. While you are in the GCW office, we hope to interview you and get a story, for subsequent publication, about this property and about your family. If you need other photographs of the above, either the size shown, or larger, or on postal cards, the GCW can, and will arrange for them. A reasonable charge, of course, will be made for these reproductions. Let us show you samples.

EDWIN B. LEWIS DIES HERE SATURDAY, NOV. 13

Died Where He Was Born
63 Years Ago

Edwin B. Lewis, 63, died in his home Saturday, November 13, 1954.

He was born in the Perry Creek rural home a few miles south of Grenada, 63 years ago and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis, landowners of that section. He lived there all of his life and acquired possession of that land and farmed it all of his life, although, as a young man, he became associated with the nearby Koppers Co. and rose to the position of assistant superintendent, a position he held until his retirement over a year ago.

He was a member of the Methodist Church of Grenada and it was the pastor of that church, Rev. Felix Sutphin, who conducted his funeral ceremony at Garner Brothers Sunday afternoon and his burial at Odd Fellows immediately thereafter.

He was presented a 40-years service pin from Koppers Company upon his retirement from service last year.

About ten years ago he and Mrs. Mary Ellen Leverette Printz were married and she survives him, as do two sisters.

Cotton, Corn Awards To Be Given Saturday

Everyone is invited to the program of presentation of awards to the Cotton and Corn Production winners, Saturday, November 20th at 10 a. m. in the City Hall.

Rep. Jamie Whitten will be guest speaker, with William Winter as Master of Ceremonies. The program will be as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Felix Sutphin; Selections, Negro quartet; Introduction of out-of-county guests, C. O. Sennett; Remarks, T. M. Waller; Introduction of Jamie Whitten, William Winter; Address, Mr. Whitten; Selections, Negro quartet; Presentation of awards, Clayton Carpenter.

Letters are being sent to all winners telling them they will be recognized at the meeting but not naming to what extent.

First prize for corn production will be \$100 for the winner, white and colored, in the two districts, East and West. Cotton production first prize will be \$74 for white and colored in each of the four districts, Northwest, Southwest, Northeast and Southeast. Second prize will be \$25 for the winners in each district.

Holcomb friends of Mrs. Jimmie Locke will learn with regret that she is ill at the home of her son, Jack Hayden in Batesville.

Will Carver, 84, Is Dead

Mr. Will Carver, eldest one of that generation of Carvers, died in Greenwood Monday of this week and was buried at the Carver old lot in Sparta Cemetery Tuesday.

Mr. Carver was for many years a resident of the area South of Holcomb where his family was raised and where he was born 84 years ago. For the past ten years he has lived with a daughter in Greenwood.

Miss. Shorthorn Breeders Offer Additional Premiums to 4-H Members

According to Sam T. Scott, Sledge, Miss., Secretary, the Mississippi Short-horn Breeders' Association is offering \$100.00 premium for a Grand Champion Shorthorn Steer and \$50.00 for a Reserve Grand Champion Shorthorn Steer at the 1955 Spring District Shows in Mississippi which are held immediately following the County Shows. These premiums are in addition to those paid by the District Shows and by the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association, and will be paid direct to the exhibitor by Secretary Scott.

-HOLCOMB NEWS ITEMS-

Engagement Announced
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bennett of Holcomb announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Marie to Thomas "Speedy" Tharpe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tharpe of Little Rock, Arkansas.

The wedding will be solemnized on Saturday, November 17 in Greenwood. The couple plan to reside in Greenwood where Miss Bennett is employed for Wonder Bread Co. and where Mr. Tharpe is connected with the Leflore Farmers Equipment Co.

Mrs. Bates Curry is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. M. B. Varner in Memphis.

Mrs. Frank Camp and little son of Skene are visiting their mother and grandmother Mrs. H. K. McMah-an.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jackson spent last Wednesday in Memphis at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Keesler who underwent surgery at the Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Hayden and family visited Mrs. Hayden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gary in Europa Sunday.

Mr. Roland Hill, Eunice Faye Hill and Joy Fite enjoyed the Ice Show in Memphis last Sunday.

The Holcomb Girl Scouts Troop enjoyed a hike and picnic at the Scout Camp on Grenada Lake last Wednesday with their leader Mrs. W. E. Holcomb and assistant leader Mrs. R. K. McRee, Mrs. D. K. Hayden, a

Bulldogs Defeat Charleston

By 26 to 19 Score
(By Hugh Ketchum)

Turning in one of his best performances of the year, Ray Freeman led the Grenada Bulldogs to a 26 to 19 victory over the Charleston Warriors Friday night at Charleston. The 174 pound fullback scored all of the 26 points, gained 157 yards rushing, passed for 60 yards with two completions and returned one intercepted pass 30 yards.

During the first three quarters of the game it was all Grenada as the Bulldog runners, Freeman, Bill Raper and Shafer Spence rolled up over 300 yards on the ground and 106 yds through the air. However, in the final quarter the Warriors went on the warpath, working the Bailey Peters to Bobby Owens pass combination 8 times to help score twice and threaten again.

The Bulldogs scored in the opening minutes of the game, taking the kick off at the 20 and marching all the way in seven plays. A 26-yard pass, Freeman to Spence, set up the tally, which was made when Freeman blasted off right tackle for 20 yards. Freeman kicked the point.

Charleston came right back to score. Carl Hardy took the kick-off at the goal line and scampered 80 yards to the Grenada 20 before being run out of bounds. Billy Vance's running and a Peters to Owens pass moved the ball to the one from where Peters sneaked over. Owens' kick was blocked by Raper, giving Grenada a 7 to 6 lead at the end of the first period.

Late in the second quarter Freeman circled right end for 14 yards and a touchdown to end a 26-yard drive with only 20 seconds left in the first half. Freeman kicked the point to give the Bulldogs a 14 to 6 lead at the rest period.

Grenada counted twice in the third period. A covered fumble by End J. F. Morrison set up the first opportunity, starting on the Charleston 32. A Freeman to Spence pass carried to the five, but a penalty moved the ball to the 10. Freeman got three his first try then powered right tackle for 7 and the touchdown. On the next to last play of the period Freeman made a one-hand catch of Peters' pass and raced 30 yards for another tally, giving the Bulldogs a 26 to 6 lead entering the final quarter.

During the last period Charleston kept possession of the ball on all but six plays, scoring twice and threatening again. Peters' scored from the one to end a 30 yard sustained drive, then Kirk scored from the five after the Warriors had covered a free ball on the kick-off at the Grenada 20 to set the stage for another drive.

Grenada drove to the Charleston one-yard line with the six offensive plays they did get in the final period, but Freeman slipped and fell on the fourth down, scoring attempt at the one.

The Bulldogs held the edge in all phases of the game, rolling up 261 yards by rushing against 113 for the Warriors, and gaining 108 yards on passing as compared to 96 for Charleston. Grenada also held a 11 to 10 edge in first downs.

Grenada will be idle this week before closing the season Thanksgiving afternoon against Bruce.

Negroes To Service Own Needy

Byron Hunter, chairman of the Christmas Cheer committee, has received the following letter from three prominent Negro citizens. Mr. Hunter said his committee gladly had agreed, "Chairman of the Christmas Cheer."

"We the Executive Committee of the Colored Relief Association, met Monday night, October 25, 1954, at the home of Rev. A. N. Brown and voted unanimously to accept the responsibility for giving Christmas Cheer to the needy Negro families of Grenada for 1954.

Respectfully yours,

L. L. Rayford, MD, President; G. L. Kent, I. H. McInnis.

Dr. and Mrs. Arent Visit In The East
Dr. J. K. Arent Sr. is at Atlantic City, N. J. this week attending the National American College of Surgeons. Mrs. Arent spent last week and the first part of this week in New York City and joined Dr. Arent at Atlantic City. They will return to Grenada early next week.

Photo by
H. Ketchum
for the
Grenada County
Weekly

Notice To Equipment Dealers

Pursuant to order of the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, notice is hereby given that said Board will receive bids until and not later than 1:00 o'clock, P. M., December 6, 1954, for the one briar-tooth (or briar-tooth type) power saw with 3 1/2 horse power motor, to be purchased by the County for the use of District Five; the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

This, November 4th, 1954.
Byron Hunter, Clerk.
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Notice Of Sale Of Timber

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This, November 4th, 1954.
Byron Hunter, Clerk.
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Attention: Candidates

The GCW hopes that candidates will not be too fast in announcing, certainly not until well along in the year 1955, but we are telling what

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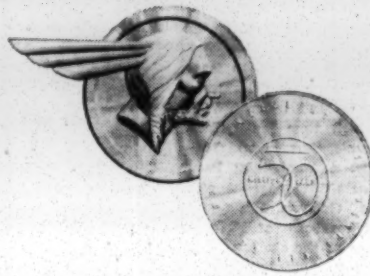
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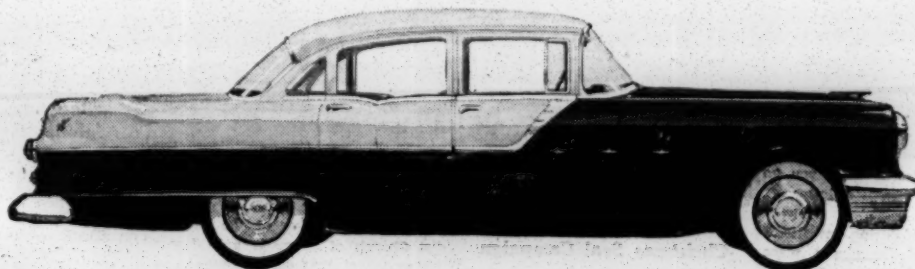
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We cannot but speak the things which we have seen and heard.—Acts 4:18.

Last Thursday was Armistice Day, now called Veterans Day. Again Grenada folks missed old Harry Greenfield because he made it his annual duty to see that flags were put out. I saw no flag out last week.

Joel Batson, like the lawyer or the priest, knows a lot about the private business of many persons, like myself, but never peeps anything, the more credit to him.

The GCW welcomes a ram return to the fold in the person of Leon Geeslin, now located in the swamp in Greenwood.

It looks as if Finley Horton, across the street, is sorter sick, but to the eternal credit of both his boys and their families, they are mighty good and patient with Finley.

Donald Ross took out a subscription Friday morning, following the appearance of that piece I wrote about Sunny Crest not that, throughout the years, Donald has missed anything in the GCW. He has been postmaster at The Plant a long time and postmasters have an uncanny way of glancing at others' mail.

According to a personal item in the Webster County Progress, Mary Jane Perry Green, its editor and owner, seems to be checking out and going to Germany.

Mabel and I feel honored that we are invited to a dinner honoring Fred Sullens on fifty years of jour-

alism in Mississippi journalism at the Heidelberg Hotel in Jackson on Thursday of this week. Sorry, we can't get there.

As a matter of fact, it looks as if we would never do anything else but go to free things. We could cut off the electric stove and fire the cook.

Randolph (called "Rinney" in the war) West was here last week to attend his mother's funeral, came around to see us and left \$3 as a subscription, the GCW to be sent to him at Salt Lake City.

Saturday seemed like Christmas had come again as Dr. Coats came in and paid for 5 members of his far-flung tribe. He is in that respect in the Cadillac Farmer's class.

Shorty Jones, one of the main king bees of Carroll County, just drove up to trade some on Green Street.

I think I will have to go by to see Clint Vance who told me he had opened up a dive on the Coast.

Sunday morning, we received a long-winded article detailing what Ross Barnett thought about segregation, and why. If you want to know about those subjects, read the Sunday's Clarion-Ledger which reproduced the entire matter. We just ain't got room to do so.

If we undertook to print all of these things coming from candidates for state office, we would not personally have to write a single line and would have no room to tell about folks who paid their subscriptions.

Like Potato Chip Rogers, who paid up Saturday and B. C. Topp, a colored farmer of Holcomb who was raised on our place, who came in voluntarily sady and paid up.

Mabel has a good idea that she is talking about to the city officials and the wimmen folks: to install a colored light fountain in the square somewhat like one seen in many strategic locations in Los Angeles and elsewhere.

It warms ones heart to have such callers as I did sady in the person of Ruth (Kirk) Woffard who is in Grenada sitting close to the bedside of her father, the ill W. H. Kirk and I know her presence here warms old Kirk's heart too.

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"Farm of the Week" - Last Week



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The picture shown above is another instance when the aerial photographer got plum out of the county, but not far.

The farm headquarters is owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goss of Avalon, Carroll County, and is located just outside Grenada County and just inside Carroll County a short distance east of Avalon but inside the delta

section.

The 55 acres in this nice little property is part of the J. R. Johnson land and the whole once known as the gravel-pit property.

This is a well-improved place and is devoted, primarily to cotton and corn. The motive power on the farm are tractors.

Mr. Goss came into the office Mon-

day and was mighty proud of the original picture we had for him.

The family consists of Mr. Goss, his wife, the former Miss Nola Scott and a 23-year old son, Bennie Lewis Goss who lives at home and is a big help in the farming operations. Mr. Goss bought the property from the Farm Home Administration.

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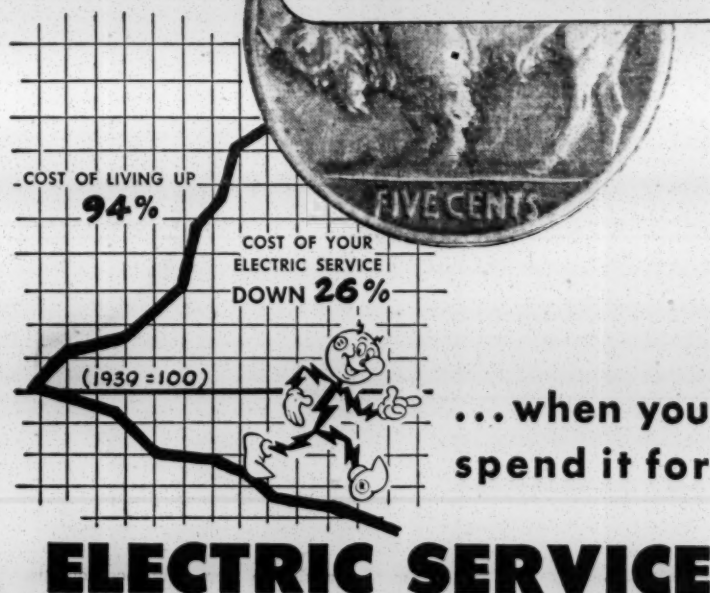
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Notice To Dealers In Supplies Of Fragrances For Bids

Sealed bids are hereby invited by
the Board of Mayor and Council-
men of the City of Grenada, Missis-
sippi, for sale to said City of the fol-
lowing items, and upon the following
terms and conditions:

- (1) Not exceeding 200 water meters
according to specifications on file
in the office of the City Recorder.
- (2) Not exceeding 12,000 gallons of
liquid asphalt, according to spec-
ifications on file in the office of the
City Recorder.
- (3) Not exceeding 180 tons of A-
macite.

It is anticipated that the above
quantities will fill the requirement of
the City for One Year from the date
of opening of bids, therefore, the
bids must be firm bids for one year.
The City, in placing orders during
said period, will order the meters in
quantities of not less than 12 at the
time; will order the Asphalt in quan-
tities of not less than 4,000 gallons
at the time, and will order the A-
macite in not less than 40 tons at the
time.

Any interested party may bid on
any one or more of the above items.

Said bids are to be turned in to
the City Recorder at that office in
the City Hall in said City, by 7:30
o'clock, P. M., December 13, 1954,
at which time and place said bids will
be opened.

The board reserves the right to

reject any and all bids.

R. A. Clanton, Mayor
Attest: Clara B. Criss, City Recorder
11-18, 25, 12-2 250w

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone who was
so good to Ed during his illness and
thoughtful of me and his sisters at
Ed's death. We are especially grate-
ful to Dr. James.

Mrs. Ed Lewis,
Miss Nannie C. Lewis

—ALVA NEWS ITEMS—
(by Mrs. Marion Rose Ingram)

The Sam Simmons family moved to
Grenada Saturday and the Lagrone
Pullen family of Lodi moved to the
Simmons farm. The Earl Marter fam-
ily moved to the Charlie Aldridge
farm near Winona.

Mrs. L. C. Cohea and Mrs. Lynn
Marter made a business trip to Eu-
ropa Saturday.

The X. L. Swindall family of Win-
ona visited their relatives, the Char-
les Swindalls last Sunday.

Members of the Lynn Marter fam-
ily and Miss Ann Blue visited in the
Earl Marter family at Winona Sat'dy.

Mrs. Conway Mitchell of Green-
wood spent the weekend at home.

Jeff Kelly of Goodman spent the
weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. McCain and
Dionne visited relatives who reside
at Slate Springs on Sunday last.

Rev. Paul Widdle of Bellfountain
delivered two good messages Sunday
at the Baptist Church. He was dinner

guest in the Felix Ingram home.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cohea visit
relatives in Grenada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods and
family from Brunswick, Ga. were week-
end visitors in the Bob Woods home
attended church services Sunday.

Miss Ann Peeples of Grenada
home for a weekend visit with her
folks.

T. L. Sledge and Miss Patty Sledge
spent Sunday in Winona with
Betty Hood and family and enjoyed
the birthday dinner honoring
Joe Hunters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack James and
family visited with the Marvin Abel
family Sunday at Duck Hill.

Mrs. J. W. Vance celebrated her
64th birthday Sunday at a dinner
attended by homefolks.

Two Grenada Ladies Honored

The Delta Branch of Pen Women
members of the National Pen Women
organization extended, this week
membership invitations to Mrs. J. W.
Shal Frye and Mrs. Wm. Whyte
maker of Grenada.

Mrs. Frye is the wife of the
copal rector here and Mrs. Whyte
is the wife of GCW Editor Whitaker.

—First Federal Moves—

Mrs. Evelyn Dickinson announced
the opening of the new office for
Federal Savings and Loan in the
Grenada Bank Building with entr-
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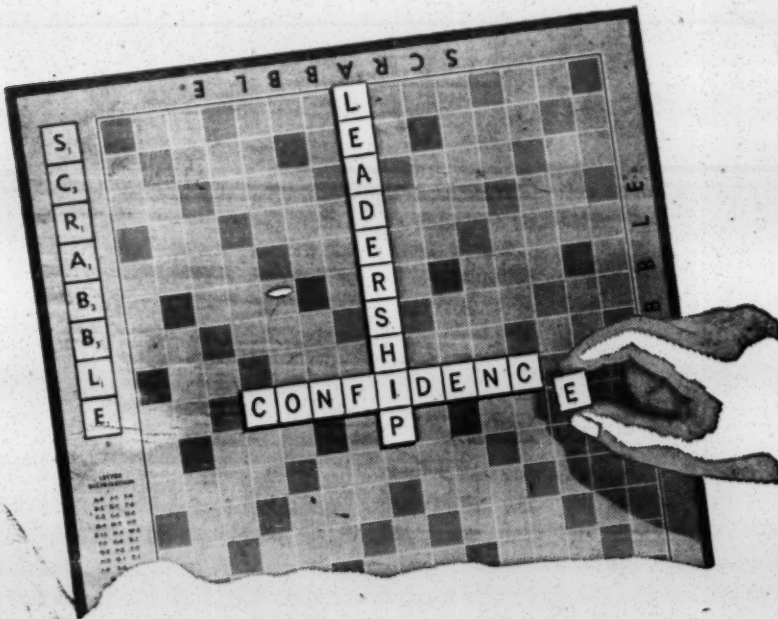


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Mrs. Ben Townes Explains Polio Shots

Protective shots of the Salk polio vaccine will be available for every first grade school child in Grenada County, if a scientific report next spring indicates that the vaccine is effective, Mrs. Ben Townes, Grenada County Campaign Director, revealed today.

Mrs. Townes has just returned from an infantile paralysis conference at Birmingham, Alabama, where volunteers from Alabama, Georgia, and Mississippi mapped plans for the 1955 March of Dimes.

She disclosed that the nationwide polio vaccine field trials in which 1,800,000 children participated this year, are now being evaluated at the University of Michigan by Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr., and his staff. These scientists are expected to complete their complex task by spring of 1955. Until their report is issued it will not be known whether the vaccine protects against paralytic polio, Mrs. Townes said.

Meanwhile, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has taken a

"calculated financial risk" and is purchasing \$9,000,000 worth of the vaccine now, without waiting for next spring's Francis Report.

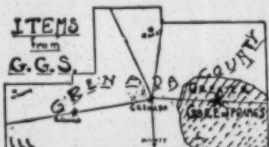
This vaccine—enough for nine million vaccinations of three shots each will be available for immediate use, if the scientists issue a favorable report. It will be offered to all children who participated in the field trials as scientific controls and thus did not receive vaccine; it will also go to pregnant women and to children who will be in the first grade of school next spring.

"This huge polio prevention program," Mrs. Townes said, "is one important reason why the polio fight is a bigger job now than ever before. At the very same time that the March of Dimes is purchasing vaccine and preparing to use it, the organization is faced with a record number of polio patients who need help."

"During 1954," she said, "the March of Dimes aided 74,000 patients, and more than two-thirds of these were patients stricken in previous years. An epidemic one year means many patients who will need help for long years afterwards," Mrs. Townes said.

adding: "We are determined that there shall be no forgotten men, women or children who need our aid. Of the \$94,000,000 needed by the March of Dimes next year, almost \$30,000,000 will be required for direct patient aid alone. Other needs include scientific research, professional education and respirator and treatment centers. All this in addition to the polio prevention program."

"Even with an effective vaccine," Mrs. Townes said, "it will not be physically possible to inoculate every man, woman and child in the county for the next several years. During that interim period, thousands of new polio patients will require aid, along with the tens of thousands from former years."



McDonald - Worsham

A recent wedding of interest is that of Miss Helen McDonald, daughter of Mrs. J. W. McDonald and the late Mr. McDonald of Carrollton and Winfred Worsham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Telford Worsham of Gore Springs.

The vows were said in the Holcomb Baptist Parsonage on November 1st, with the Rev. J. E. Richardson officiating. The bride is a graduate of Carrollton school and is employed at Grenada Industries.

Mr. Worsham, a graduate of Gore Springs Consolidated School and served three years and 9 months in the Air Force.

The young couple are making their home in Grenada at 309 Second St.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Doolittle of Memphis were visitors on Sunday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Trussell, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gillon and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Trussell.

Sgt. James E. McWhorter of Tacoma, Wash. had a brief visit during the weekend with his mother Mrs. Russell McWhorter and with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cohea and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marter of Sweet man called on Mr. and Mrs. Homer Trussell and son Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy James and children were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. James' sister, Mrs. Charles Bounds in Aberdeen.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Shappley Jr. and Chip spent the weekend in Memphis with N. P. Shappley Sr. and Mrs. A. J. Watson. They enjoyed a visit to the zoo and a sight seeing tour of beautiful residential sections of the city.

Mrs. Henry Bradford arrived Friday from Lepanto, Ark. to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rose and daughter moved from the J. G. Shaw home Monday to their home in Green wood following an absence of five months due to Mr. Rose's physical condition. In a recent visit to Baptist Hospital in Memphis, physicians replaced the cast with braces.

Due to lack of space, the rest of the Gore Springs items will appear next week.

Can You Fight Off Flu on the Job?

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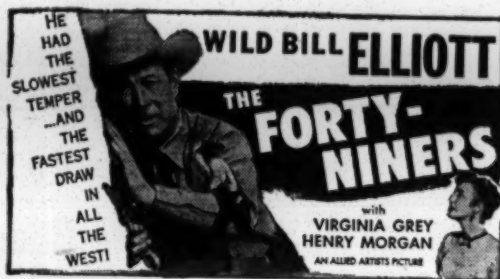
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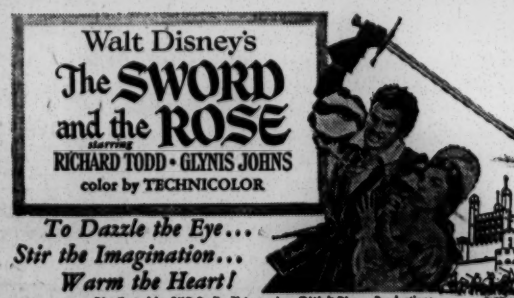
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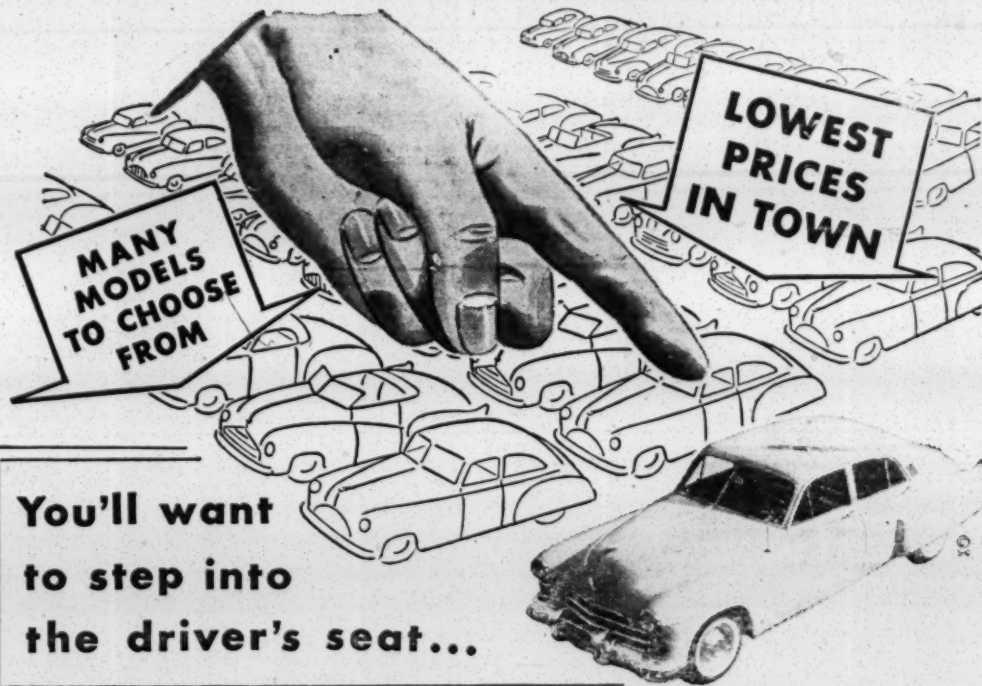
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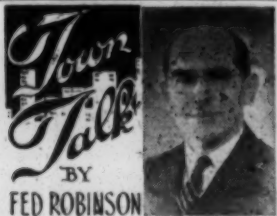
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GRENADA, MISSISSIPPI



On Jack Carson's tv show the oth-

er night, the spinster sister said this about her life... "something is missing but it doesn't go away" and she was referring to her longing to be special to someone. Well, she has plenty of company. Just about everyone yearns to be special to someone else. It is a natural desire which is not exclusive to old maids-but to men, women and children of all creeds and kinds. Wanting to be remembered is a yearning universal in human hearts.

A welfare worker said she was working with blind Negro children and she stooped to one little girl to tell her something and upon an impulse the little Negro girl turned toward her and kissed her quickly. Poor little gal had probably not been kissed by anyone in years, maybe never before and all that time she just wanted to kiss someone. So, something was missing in her life but it wouldn't go away.

Ruth Lowe, songwriter, was caught up in Ralph Edwards' spiderweb of surprises the other night on "This Is Your Life" program and we were told about the sorrows in Ruth Lowe's life. Said that after the death of her husband, she returned to Toronto to bury herself in despair and grief and then she wrote "I'll Never Smile Again" and also "Put Your Dreams Away for Another Day" but she lived a hand became very happy and learned to smile over and over again as her new husband and charming child ren brought a new happiness into her life, because all she needed was to be special to someone. Well, the birds of sorrow fly over the heads of everyone and sometime they light in your hair, but as long as one can feel they are considered to be special to someone they can overcome. We all have been given the power to overcome along with all our other blessings, and therein lies our hope and our faith.

success this year. Coach Wyatt will not permit any one player to star in his own spotlight. He insists that every man on the team is a star and one is no better than the next one and he insists upon the old team spirit and team efforts rather than raise one man upon a pedestal. The very essence of this plan appeals to all of us because we all love to see people sharing with others all the things they have and other pursuits in life could be managed on the same fair basis. Share and share alike is fundamental and we first heard of it from Jesus of Nazareth the great Teacher of human values and not only will that spirit win for football teams but will win for you and me in whatever we undertake to do. "Reward yourself" as they say on tv by sharing with others some of your own blessings and find that elusive thing called happiness.

It would be to change it all spiritually. Signs of age: When it takes you twice as long to rest and half as long to get tired. Fed.

America's Industrial Progress To Be Exhibited In Jackson

One of America's most priceless historical relics is a trunk once the possession of George Washington. Containing his own plates, teapot, cup, spice-box and many other personal items, the trunk is the same carried by Washington during the Revolutionary War. The teapot is the same used to fight the chill at Valley Forge, and the plates may well have been used for a victory dinner after Yorktown.

Visitors' chest will be just one of many objects on display at the exhibition, "Industrial Progress U. S. A." to be presented in Jackson November 1st through November 5th from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Free to the public, the exhibition dramatizing America's industrial achievements during the past 200 years is sponsored by the Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village, Dearborn, Michigan. Mississippi Power & Light Company, as local sponsor, will present the exhibit at its office, 114 S. Congress Street. In addition to Washington's chest, the exhibit, which has been seen by over two million people, displays progress in many fields. Automobile enthusiasts will be attracted by the display of miniature hand-made models of American-made cars from 1809 up to the present. The models are exact copies and even show the

buggy-whip-holders and flower vases on the earlier cars. One of the highlights of the exhibit will depict electrical progress. This display contains a large scale working model of Thomas Edison's Pearl Street Station... the first large scale commercial producer of electricity for illumination purposes constructed in 1882. Also shown is the exact replica of Edison's very first incandescent bulb and the smallest light bulb made today, utilized for medical purposes. Housewives at the exhibit will really have a field day. They'll get to contrast their stainless steel and aluminum cooking utensils with the heavy cast iron kettles of several centuries ago. Then, they'll see the back-breaking wooden scrub board and heavy flatiron side by side with an automatic electric washing machine and modern electric ironing equipment; and they'll observe the changes in sewing machines and heating and plumbing facilities—not to mention radio and television. With 20 major exhibits, "Industrial Progress, U. S. A." is a documented record of the initiative, ingenuity and resources of the American people, who as free men have worked harder, produced more and advanced faster in the past 200 years than the greatest nation on earth.

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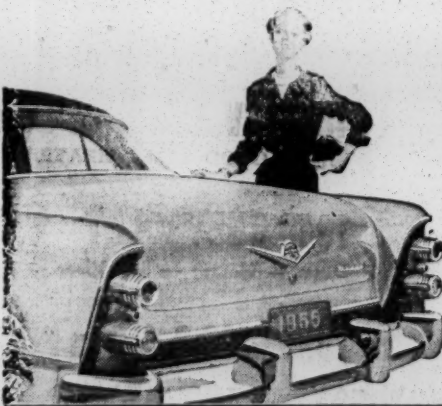
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Devotional Reading: Psalm 104:23-31.

What We Owe God

Lesson for November 21, 1954

AT THANKSGIVING time some people thank God for the wrong things, or they may even not thank him at all. They may sit back looking at the festival turkey, and instead of being grateful to God are being rather proud of themselves. But even thankful hearts may sometimes be a shade wrong. On the one hand, some very high-minded Christians will tell you that it isn't the material blessings that count, it is the spiritual blessings for which we ought to be thankful. Well (as we shall see), if it were not for the material blessings there could be no spiritual blessings. On the other hand, as some people seem to look at it, what we are thankful for is "prosperity"—so that if we lost money last year, or barely scraped through, we don't really have anything to be thankful for. Such persons should be reminded that the Psalms of gratitude—and they are many—were not written by wealthy men for the most part but by rather poor ones on our standard. The 104th Psalm is a case in point.

The Gift of Existence

The first point that strikes the reader of this Psalm is that the poet is thinking much more about the world than about himself. He feels himself to be a part of the great world which God has made, so that he feels personally happy over blessings which he shares with all creation. How many persons, on the contrary, are never grateful to God unless for something done for themselves alone! This Psalmist not only feels himself akin to all other men but to animals as well, yes even inanimate things like clouds and wind, "messengers" of God, as he himself is. This Psalmist is singing with joy to God in gratitude for existence, not his own single sole existence

but that of all creation. He knows that without the other creatures of God he himself could not be. Another Psalmist thinks of God as creating him "in the heart of the earth." He too was aware that we are related to this earth's crust, the very make-up of the soil determines the physical make-up of our bodies. This great Psalm rejoices not merely that "God made ME" but—what is much more important, God in wisdom made ALL things.

The Gift of Subsistence

Our Psalmist goes further. He sings not only of God's Creation but of his Providence. Nothing could be without God, but also nothing could continue to be without him. He thinks of this in two ways. One is easy to understand—that is, God provides for each of his creatures whatever is necessary for that creature to live, and gives to each creature the impelling desire to keep itself alive. God feeds the lions; but he does not come down in a fiery cloud with lion-manna in his hand. Not at all; the lion goes after his prey. But while other men cover their heads in terror at the lion's roar, not so this poet; he rejoices that lions, like men, "seek their food from God." The other way in which God sustains his creatures—clouds, grass, goats, lions and poets—is more profound and not all can even think about it. But this poet's inspired mind penetrated deeply into the reality of things. He perceives that God's very being, and will, sustain and "keep in being" everything that is. God does not toss off a universe into space and let it spin as it will. He undergirds it at every point at every instant.

What We Owe God

People "exchange gifts" at Christmas time; but no one can exchange gifts with the Almighty. None may give him existence, not all creation can sustain his being, life—in beginning and continuance—flows from him to us, not from us to him. We can never repay the Creator of all. And yet we do owe God something—everything indeed, but something in particular. We surely owe him a thankful heart; not mere words of thanks, but a thankful heart, rejoicing in all the wonders of God. We also owe God at least the careful and wise use of his creation. Waste, such as erosion which we could prevent, or letting stock run down—all waste of natural strength, time or resources—this is a sin against the God who gives us all things.

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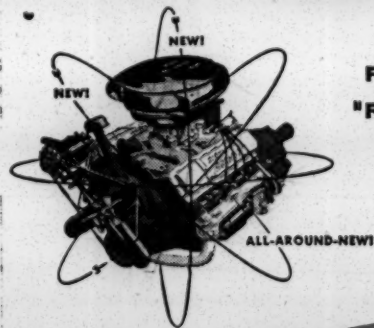
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Combine all ingredients; pour into chilled pastry shell. Bake in hot oven (400°F.) 40 min. or until knife inserted near edge of pie comes out clean. Cool on wire rack. Serve with whipped cream.



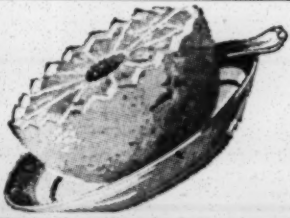
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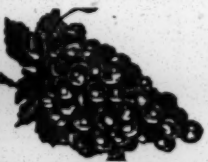
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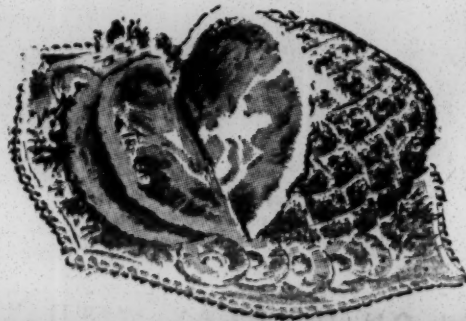
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